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January 31, 2007

Mr. Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of an Assignment and Assumption Agreement, dated as of January 31, 2007, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Memorandum of Lease Agreement and Schedule No. 1 previously filed with the Board under Recordation Number 26765.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Seller: Babcock & Brown Rail Funding LLC
885 Second Avenue, 49th Floor
New York, NY 10017

Buyer: Greenbrier Leasing Company LLC
One Centerpointe Drive, Suite 200
Lake Oswego, OR 97035

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

25 railcars: AOK 34375 – AOK 34399.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Assignment and Assumption Agreement.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$34.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Alvord', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Robert W. Alvord

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Enclosures

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ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION AGREEMENT

This Assignment and Assumption Agreement, dated as of January 31, 2007 (this "Agreement"), is between Greenbrier Leasing Company LLC, an Oregon limited liability company (the "Seller"), and Babcock & Brown Rail Funding LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Buyer").

Witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the Buyer and the Seller have entered into that certain Purchase Agreement [GLC] dated as of January 31, 2007 (the "Purchase Agreement"), providing for the purchase of the Ownership Interest by the Buyer from the Seller, subject to the terms and conditions set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, the Purchase Agreement contemplates the execution and delivery of this Agreement by the Seller and the Buyer on the date hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows.

1. Definitions. Capitalized terms used herein without definition shall have the meanings assigned to them in Section 4 of this Agreement.
2. Assignment. Effective as to each item of Equipment on the Closing Date, the Seller sells to the Buyer all of the Seller's rights, title and interest, except as reserved under Section 2.1 of the Purchase Agreement, in and to such item and assigns to the Buyer all of the Seller's rights and obligations, except to the extent constituting Existing Obligations, under each of the following as they relate to such item:
 - (a) the Lease Agreement made as of June 1, 2006, by and between the Seller, as lessor, and Soo Line Railroad Company, as lessee (the "Lessee"), as amended, modified or supplemented from time to time (the "Lease"); and
 - (b) Schedule No. 1 made as of June 1, 2006, as amended, modified or supplemented from time to time (collectively, the "Assigned Operative Agreements").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Seller shall continue to be entitled to the benefit of any rights to indemnification for tax and other matters which arose or may arise from or be related to any event or circumstance occurring or in existence prior to the Closing Date, as specified in the Purchase Agreement.

3. Acceptance of Assignment; Assumption of Obligations; Effect of Assignment. The Buyer accepts the assignment contained in Section 2 hereof and, in respect of the period on and after the Closing Date, assumes all obligations of the Seller under, and agrees to be bound to the same extent as the Seller by all the terms of, the Assigned Operative Agreements. Effective on and after the Closing Date, the Buyer shall be deemed to stand in the place of the Seller for all

purposes under the Assigned Operative Agreements and each reference in the Assigned Operative Agreements to the Seller shall be deemed to mean the Buyer. The Seller, in respect of the period on and after the Closing Date, is released of all obligations of the lessor under the Assigned Operative Agreements, except to the extent constituting Existing Obligations.

4. Definitions. Except as otherwise specified or as the context may otherwise require, the following terms have the respective meanings set forth below whenever used in this Agreement (terms defined in the singular to have a correlative meaning when used in the plural and vice versa).

Bill of Sale: as to any one or more items of Equipment, a bill of sale in the form of Exhibit B hereto.

Closing Date: as to any one or more items of Equipment and related Ownership Interest, the date of the Bill of Sale with respect thereto.

Equipment: the items of equipment listed on Exhibit A hereto, together with each and every part, accessory, component and any equipment installed therein or attached thereto owned by the Seller (individually such railcars shall be referred to as an "item" or "items of Equipment").

Existing Obligations: any and all liabilities and obligations of Seller under the Ownership Interest, including the Assigned Operative Agreements, or otherwise relating to the Equipment in each such case, to the extent arising or occurring prior to the Closing Date (whether or not asserted or assessed), and, with respect to the obligations, to have been performed by Seller prior to the Closing Date.

Ownership Interest: the Seller's rights, title and interest in and to the Equipment and the Seller's rights and obligations under the Assigned Operative Agreements, except the Existing Obligations.

5. Amendments. No provision of this Agreement may be amended, modified or waived except by written agreement duly executed by each of the parties hereto.

6. Notices. All notices, requests or other communications to or upon any party hereto in connection herewith shall be given in the manner prescribed by Section 9.5 of the Purchase Agreement.

7. Headings. The section headings used in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not be used or construed to define, interpret, expand or limit any provision hereof.

8. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement.

9. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the internal substantive laws of the State of New York, without

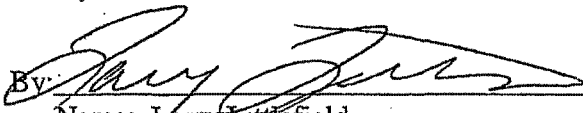
giving effect to the conflict of law rules thereof, other than Section 5-1401 of the New York General Obligations Law.

10. Recordation. The Seller and the Buyer agree to record this Agreement with the Surface Transportation Board to evidence the assignment by the Seller to the Buyer of the Seller's rights and obligations under the Lease, which shall have been recorded with the Surface Transportation Board.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment and Assumption Agreement has been duly executed by the parties hereto as of the date first above written.

BABCOCK & BROWN RAIL FUNDING LLC,
as Buyer

By: 
Name: Larry Littlefield
Title: Vice President

GREENBRIER LEASING COMPANY LLC,
as Seller

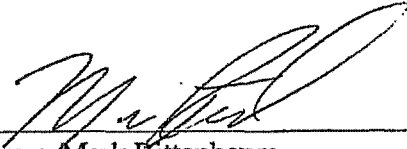
By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____

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BABCOCK & BROWN RAIL FUNDING LLC,
as Buyer

By: _____
Name:
Title:

GREENBRIER LEASING COMPANY LLC,
as Seller

By:  _____
Name: Mark Rittenbaum
Title: Vice President

STATE OF NEW YORK)

) SS:

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

On January 22, 2007, before me, Clementina Capasso, Notary Public, personally appeared Larry Littlefield, personally known to me to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Clementina Capasso

CLEMENTINA CAPASSO
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
No. 01CA6120806
QUALIFIED IN NEW YORK COUNTY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES DEC. 27, 2008

STATE OF OREGON

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SS:

COUNTY OF CLACKAMAS

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On January 23, 2007, before me, Sheri Clarke Grether, Notary Public, personally appeared Mark Rittenbaum, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Sheri Clarke Grether

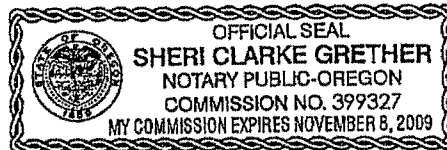


Exhibit A
(to Assignment
and Assumption Agreement
and Bill of Sale)

EQUIPMENT

<u># Cars</u>	<u>Year Built</u>	<u>Manufacturer</u>	<u>AAR Code</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Reporting Marks</u>	<u>Casualty Marks</u>
25	2006	Trinity North American Freight Car, Inc.	E241	112 Ton, 42 Ft. Coil steel cars with continuous trough, coil cover and movable crossbar	AOK 34375-34399, inclusive	None

**Exhibit B
(to Assignment
and Assumption Agreement)**

BILL OF SALE

On this ____ day of January, 2007, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Greenbrier Leasing Company LLC ("Seller"), does hereby sell, transfer and assign to Babcock & Brown Rail Funding LLC ("Buyer") all of Seller's rights, title and interest in and to the equipment described in Exhibit A hereto (the "Equipment"), subject to the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement [GLC] dated as of the date hereof (the "Purchase Agreement") and the Assignment and Assumption Agreement dated as of the date hereof, each between Seller and Buyer.

Seller represents and warrants to Buyer and its successors and assigns that at the time of delivery of the Equipment, Seller had legal title thereto and good and lawful right to sell the Equipment, and the Equipment was free and clear of all Liens (as defined in the Purchase Agreement), other than as described in Section 3.3 of the Purchase Agreement.

GREENBRIER LEASING COMPANY LLC

By: _____
Name:
Title:

CERTIFICATION

I, Robert W. Alvord, attorney licensed to practice in the State of New York and the District of Columbia, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have compared the attached copy with the original thereof and have found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document.

Dated: _____

1/30/07



Robert W. Alvord